

HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY

Policy Statement

As part of our commitment to achieving the principles of health and safety in our workplace, we recognise our moral and legal responsibility to provide a safe and healthy work environment for employees, contractors, customers and visitors. This commitment also extends to ensuring that our operations do not place the local community or environment at risk of injury, illness or damage.

Aim and Objectives

We will adopt procedures to:

- Provide safe and healthy working conditions for the prevention of work-related injury and ill health;
- Provide safe plant and systems of work;
- Provide written procedures and instructions to ensure safe work practices;
- Ensure compliance with legislative requirements and current industry standards;
- Provide such information, instruction, training and supervision to employees, contractors and customers as is necessary to ensure their continued health and safety; and
- Provide support and assistance to employees and involve them in consultation on safety issues.

Responsibilities

We recognise that the overall responsibility to provide a safe workplace rests with management, who will be accountable for the implementation of this policy. These responsibilities include:

- Ensuring that all OHS policies and procedures are implemented;
- Ensuring we are committed to eliminating hazards and reduce OH&S risks;
- Establishing measurable objectives and targets to ensure continued improvement aimed at the elimination of work-related injuries and illnesses; and
- Providing adequate resources to meet these OHS commitments.

Employees also have responsibilities, which include:

- Following all OHS policies and procedures; and
- Recognising hazards which may affect the health and safety of themselves, others, or the environment.

Implementation and Review

This policy and safety related objectives and targets will be reviewed annually at the management review meeting.



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